

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Masahiro MAKI et al.

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Sir:

Submitted herewith are 4 sheets of formal (A4) drawings (Figs. 1-4). In particular, figures 1-3 have been amended to incorporate descriptive labels and figure 4 has been amended to include a "Prior Art" designation as required by the Examiner. These are the <u>only</u> changes that have been made to the drawings, and no new matter has been added. Thus, the Examiner is requested to enter these new formal figures.

Respectfully submitted,

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